

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. An identifier indicating the status of each claim is provided.

Listing of Claims

1. (Currently Amended) A portable telephone ~~including~~ comprising:

a first operating portion which ~~can be~~ is operated in opposing directions ~~opposite~~
~~to each other~~ by a user;

a display unit for displaying a block indicative of said first operating portion,
predetermined information and a pointer;

controlling means for controlling said display unit so as to shift said pointer to a
desirable position within said predetermined information on a screen of said display unit in
accordance with an operation of said first operating portion and ~~also display~~ displays a mark
indicative of a direction to which said pointer ~~can be~~ is shifted and in which said predetermined
information exists, adjacently to said block along a shift direction through said first operating
portion; and

editing means for permitting said user to edit said predetermined information
displayed on said display unit.

2. (Currently Amended) A The portable telephone according to claim 1, wherein~~[[:]~~

said predetermined information is menu information composed of a plurality of
items, and

said pointer is located correspondingly to one of said plurality of items.

3. (Currently Amended) A The portable telephone according to claim 1, wherein[:]
said predetermined information is text information, and
said pointer is located correspondingly to one character or symbol in said text
information.

4. (Currently Amended) A The portable telephone according to claim 1, wherein
said first operating portion is a dial which ~~can be~~ is rotated in opposing directions
~~opposite to each other~~ by said user.

5. (Currently Amended) A The portable telephone according to claim 1, further
comprising:
a second operating portion for shifting said pointer in a direction vertical to a shift
direction of said pointer through said first operating portion,
wherein[:]
said controlling means controls said display unit so as to display a
mark indicative of a direction to which said pointer ~~can be~~ is shifted by said second operating
portion and in which said predetermined information exists, adjacently to said block along a shift
direction through said second operating portion.

6. (Currently Amended) A The portable telephone according to claim 5, wherein
said second operating portion comprises two keys, which are arranged closely to each
other, on both sides of said first operating portion.